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Peter J. McNiff

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1940
Began Service: 1994
Term Expires: February 2022

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Royce C. Lamberth
Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1943
Education: Texas 1965 BA, 1967 LLB
Began Service: November 16, 1987
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan
Political Affiliation: Republican



Academic: Teaching Quizmaster, School of Law, University of Texas at Austin (1966-1967)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Columbia, Civil Division, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1974-1977); Assistant Chief, District of Columbia, Civil Division, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1977-1978); Chief, District of Columbia, Civil Division, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1978-1987)

Military Service: United States Army (1967-1974)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The District of Columbia Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; State Bar of Texas

Chambers of Chief Judge Royce C. Lamberth continued**Staff**

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Ricardo M. Urbina

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946
Education: Georgetown 1967 BA, 1970 JD
Began Service: July 19, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton



Affiliation: Adjunct Professor, Law School, The George Washington University

Academic: Professor, Howard University School of Law (1974-1981); Professor, Georgetown University Law Center (1982); Instructor, Trial Advocacy Workshop, Harvard University Law School (1996-2000)

Judicial: Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1981-1994)

Legal Practice: House Counsel, Atlantic Real Title Corporation (1976-1980)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; The District of Columbia Bar Association; Hispanic National Bar Association; National Bar Association

Staff

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**Paul L. Friedman**

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1944
Education: Cornell 1965 BA;
SUNY (Buffalo) 1968 JD
Began Service: August 1, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Georgetown University (1973-1975); Faculty, National Institute for Trial Advocacy (1984-1988)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Aubrey E. Robinson, Jr., United States District Court for the District of Columbia (1968-1969); Law Clerk The Honorable Roger Robb, United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (1969-1970)

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Columbia, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1970-1974); Assistant Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice (1974-1976); Associate Independent Counsel, Iran-Contra Investigation (1987-1988)

Legal Practice: Attorney, White & Case LLP (1976-1994)

Current Memberships: American Academy of Appellate Lawyers; American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The District of Columbia Bar Association

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James Robertson

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
Education: Princeton 1959 BA; George Washington 1965 LLB
Began Service: 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Legal Practice: Attorney, Wilmer Cutler & Pickering LLP (1965-1969); Chief Counsel and National Director, Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights Under Law (1969-1972)

Military Service: United States Navy (1959-1964)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; The District of Columbia Bar Association; Women's Bar Association of the District of Columbia

Chambers of District Judge Emmet G. Sullivan

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Emmet G. Sullivan

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
Education: Howard U 1968 BA, 1971 JD
Began Service: June 15, 1994
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Academic: Adjunct Professor, Howard University School of Law

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Judge James A. Washington, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1972-1973)

Judicial: Associate Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1984-1992); Associate Judge, District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1992-1994)

Legal Practice: Law Clerk, Neighborhood Legal Services Program (1971-1972); Associate, Houston and Gardner (1973-1974); Partner, Houston and Gardner (1974-1980); Partner, Houston, Sullivan and Gardner (1980-1984)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; The Bar Association of the District of Columbia; The District of Columbia Bar Association; National Bar Association

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Colleen Kollar-Kotelly

District Judge

Education: Catholic U 1965 BA, 1968 JD
Began Service: May 12, 1997
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Catherine B. Kelly, District of Columbia Court of Appeals (1968-1969)

Government: Government Attorney, Criminal Division, Appellate Section, United States Department of Justice, Richard M. Nixon Administration (1969-1972); Chief Legal Counsel, Legal Office, Department of Health and Human Services, Saint Elizabeths Hospital (1972-1984)

Judicial: Associate Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia (1984-1997)

Current Memberships: The District of Columbia Bar Association

Staff

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